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Search for Missing Michigan Man Continues

FBI Joins in the Investigation

WEST GLACIER, MONT. -- The investigation into the disappearance of 40-year-old Larry Thomas Kimble of Dorr, Michigan, is continuing. Glacier National Park. Rangers are working with other law enforcement agencies and Kimble's family and friends in an effort to develop leads in the case.

Kimble's abandoned 1998 dark blue GMC truck was discovered at the Rocky Point trailhead on the west shore of Lake McDonald last month. A Glacier National Park entrance receipt dated May 29, 2003, was found inside the vehicle, but there is no indication as to Kimble's activities between May 29th and mid-June when his truck was spotted. Land and water searches have failed to turn up any sign of Kimble.

The most recent search took place July 20th. Park employees combed through thick vegetation in the Fish Creek area where Kimble's truck was found but did not find any clues to his whereabouts. Rangers plan to periodically enlarge the search area, but at this point, have no new leads upon which to focus.

Special Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation are providing expertise in preserving evidence and searching for clues in Kimble's truck. Allegan County Michigan Sheriff's deputies are developing background information about the missing man. In addition, the Flathead County Sheriff's staff and search and rescue volunteers from Missoula and Libby have conducted land and water searches for Kimble.

Kimble is described as 'tall and slender' at six feet one inches tall, weighs approximately 150-160 pounds, has brown hair and eyes and wears glasses. When last seen by family members, his hair was mid-shoulder length and worn in a ponytail. He was first reported to have been clean-shaven; however, he actually wears a mustache. Kimble reportedly smokes 'Swisher Sweets' cigars and may have been wearing black steel-toed work boots. No other information is known regarding his whereabouts or what he was wearing.

Anyone with information about Larry Kimble is asked to contact Glacier National Park at 406-888-7801.

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Editor's Note: Photos of Kimble and his Springer Spaniel "Bubba" are available upon request from the Glacier National Park Public Affairs Office.

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